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Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination, please amend the above-identified Request for Continued Examination application under 37 CFR 1.114 as follows:

**This paper includes (each beginning on a separate sheet):**

- 1. Amendments to and/or listing of the claims;**
- 2. Remarks/Discussion of Issues.**

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